

ALEXANDER, TONEY AND CICOETTE THE "BIG THREE" IN BIG LEAGUE PITCHING CIRCLES

ALEX REGISTERED SECOND DOUBLE TRIUMPH IN HIS BIG LEAGUE CAREER WHEN HE HUMBLING THE DODGERS

Performed 'Iron Man' Act for First Time Against Reds Last Fall—Alex, Toney and Cicotte Have Won Twenty-three

FOR the second time in his big league career Grover Cleveland Alexander, member of the Phillies' pitching staff, and sometimes called the entire staff, pitched and won two games in the same afternoon.

MORAN has not worked Lavender very much during the last two weeks, and evidently plans to give the "Giant Killer" plenty of exercise in New York.

Eddie Cicotte Tied With Alex and Toney

THE American League trouble-maker, Eddie Cicotte, inventor of the "shine" ball now is on even terms with Alex and Toney in the number of games won.

WHILE the White Sox were taking the measure of the Tigers in two slugfests yesterday the Yankees were handing the Red Sox a double defeat, and now a margin of six and one-half games separates the champions from the leaders.

A's Take Two From Senators

FRED FULTON did not have an opportunity to properly use his knockout punch, an "Cookoo" Morris succeeded in fighting from the "head up," but our Mackmen scored a pair of K.O.'s in yesterday's Labor Day contests that sent Walter Johnson, Charlie Patriotic Griffith and his Washington pals from the field with the impression that they had been playing a combination of the White Sox, Red Sox and Detroit Tigers in their glory.

All the boys took a turn at good hitting. Joe Bush started for Connie, having made his peace with the tall leader, and was hit for a pair and four runs in the third inning, giving over the job to Rube Schauer, who finished the game in fine style, allowing only five hits and no runs in six innings, twenty-three men facing him.

TO THOSE who spent the afternoon at Shibe Park it seemed odd that Mack's tossers should be the inhabitants of the well-known cave.

Baseball on Same Standard Now as in Other Days

THE assertion by old-time ball players, so often heard, that baseball nowadays doesn't bring out the hard-fought contests or the classy baseball that the "old days" afforded has been made so many times that many a baseball fan believes it.

COMPARING those rules with the present-day set of laws laid down for baseball and a considerable difference arises. The ball player today doesn't take the long chances because they are impossible.

AIN'T IT A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FEELIN'?

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AND YOU ARE WONDERING MISERABLY WHAT THE FOLKS ARE EATING BACK HOME



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JACKSON EASILY TRIMS M'GOVERN BUT BILL SHOWS SIGNS OF LOSING SPEED IN ANXIETY TO BE K. O. BOY

Ambition to Become Knockout Forces Gotham Boxer to Assimilate Unnecessary Punishment—Eggers' Punches Stop Hahn

By LOUIS H. JAFFE

NO BROTHER, while Jackson didn't knock out Terry McGovern, nor did he really have the Tigran on the verge of a stumber journey in their scrap at the Olympia last night, yet at the finish it was evident and emphatically demonstrated that the Gothamite had landed a fine lambasting to the Italian with the Erin nom de guerre.

Evening Ledger Decisions of Labor Day Ring Bouts

OLYMPIA—While Jackson defeated Terry McGovern, K. O. Eggers stopped Barney Hahn, Fred Wilson knocked out Frank O'Brien, Fred Young knocked out Young Packer McFarland, first.

NEW YORK—Soldier Bartfield drew with Ted Kid Lewis.

NEW ORLEANS—Pat Moran won from Jim Hanlon, referee's decision, twenty rounds.

Herman Didn't Drop Lewis

Scraps About Scrappers

Blackjack Barkhara will do battle against one of Uncle Sam's privates when the colored pugilist meets the white one at the Broadway Club on Monday night.

Jack Sharkey would make a big hit in Philadelphia, writes Joe Wagner from New York.

Freddy Kelly has been boxing daily with Eddie Egan, Fred Wilson, and John Tiltman.

Eggers Puts on K. O.

Knockout Eggers made good his prefix by scoring a technical K. O. over Emory Hahn in the first round of the semi-final.

Low Belmont took a few unwanted smashes to the body in the fourth round of the fight with Mike McHugh.

GIANTS SEEM TO HAVE NATIONAL LEAGUE RACE CINCHED, BUT FIGHT FOR AMERICAN LEAD IS STILL ON

Wiseacres Among the Major League Managers Say Red Sox Are Not Playing as Effectively as They Were a Year Ago

FROM an artistic standpoint the championship races of the two major leagues leave something to be desired. The great American public has been educated of late years to expect keen and grueling struggle with two or more clubs involved, right down to the bitter finish.

Amid the arguments that are being waged pro and con (a baseball fan never gives up while there is the slightest flicker of hope) it is well to turn back history's pages one brief year and see how the major league races framed up. Fifty-two weeks ago today the standings were:

Table with columns: Team, W, L, P.C. for National League and American League.

It will readily be seen that one year ago three teams in the National League were virtually tied for leading honors.

Labor Day Important Race Mark

Labor Day has come to be regarded as one of the most critical points of the major league campaign.

Upland Faltering in Delaware Co.

Upland is going backward in the second half pennant race of the Delaware County League and what appeared like a certain prospect for Frank Miller and his boys is now such a sorry thing.

Autocar Leads Main Line

Autocar has again mounted to the top position in the Main Line League.

The Industrial Baseball League will hold its post-season series for the championship trophies at the Philadelphia Suburban League.

Eastern Cage Moguls Hold Powwow Tonight

The annual fall meeting of the Eastern Basketball League will be held this evening, at which time officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

Big Galleries Here in the Past

There have been three or four occasions here when the galleries have turned out in large numbers.

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